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2. (amended) The method of claim 1, wherein step e) includes
~~the step of said master device issuing individually addressed~~
~~charge commands to a specific clock value within, said clock~~
~~devices connected to said bus, such that each slave device in~~
~~said specific bank of multiple slave devices begins charging~~
~~connected to said bus include more than one bank of multiple~~
~~slave devices, and wherein each of said banks corresponds to a~~
~~specific clock value the issuance of which causes only that~~
~~bank to begin charging.~~
4. (original) The method of claim 3, wherein said electronic system is an electronic blasting system, said master device is a blasting machine, and said slave devices are electronic detonators.
5. (amended) The method of claim 1, wherein step e) includes
~~the step of said master device issuing a charge command~~
~~followed by a clock sequence, said electronic system is an~~
~~electronic blasting system, said master device is a blasting~~
~~machine, and said slave devices are electronic detonators.~~

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